

## RED JACKET, AFTER WHOM THIS VILLAGE WAS NAMED

Tall Stately Young Seneca Indian Was a Marvellous Runner and Was Employed by the British as a Scout During the Revolutionary War—Got His Name From Red Coat.

The village of Red Jacket and the Red Jacket mine or shaft were named after the famous Indian, a Seneca, Red Jacket, whose real name was Sagoyewatha. Red Jacket was never in this part of the country, in fact little was known about the Lake Superior region until long after his death.

The tall, stately, young Seneca, Sagoyewatha, was the fleetest runner among the Indian scouts employed by the British in the revolutionary war. He was tireless and covered long stretches of rough country with marvelous speed. A British officer toward the end of the revolution gave Sagoyewatha a cast-off uniform jacket, brilliant scarlet and faced with gold braid. The gift was a prize for running. Sagoyewatha's barbaric soul rejoiced at so gaudy a garment. He wore it day and night until it was in shreds. And thereby he won for himself the nickname by which he is best known to history—"Red Jacket."

Red Jacket was a strange man. Even his own people did not know whether to despise or honor him. In battle he was a coward. In council he was a genius. He was at once a patriot and a low politician; a performer and a crook; a friend to the white men and their bitter foe. His eloquence could sway a whole Indian "nation." He could plan inspired campaigns of war or diplomacy. Yet he shrank from fighting and often failed to live up to his own teachings. He sought to turn the Indians from drunkenness, etc. Yet he died an imbecile drunkard.

### Succeeds the Great Brant.

Red Jacket was born near Geneva, N. Y., in 1751, and succeeded the great Brant as chief of the Wolf tribe of the Seneca "nation." Brant despised him for his cowardice, and in contempt nicknamed him "The Cow Killer." Yet within a few years Red Jacket became the foremost man in the mighty "Six Nations," talking his way to supremacy among a people who admired deeds rather than words. When the revolution broke out he and his people espoused the British cause. It was as a forest runner and scout for the English officers, rather than as a warrior, that Red Jacket distinguished himself during the revolutionary years.

In 1784 a conference was held at Fort Stanwix to discuss a treaty between the Six Nations and the United States. Red Jacket argued fiercely against such a treaty and used all his wonderful eloquence to avert it. Yet when he failed and the treaty was ratified he promptly threw his influence upon the other side and rendered the country such good service among his own people that in 1792 the president conferred upon him a huge silver medal. This medal represented George Washington and Red Jacket smoking the pipe of peace together. The glitter of the silver and the picture of himself on terms of equality

## DO YOUR CHRISTMAS BUYING NOW AND PROFIT THEREBY

This is the time of year when newspapers are beginning to call to the attention of their readers that the holiday season is approaching, and no time should be lost in making their Christmas preparations. The advice is certainly good, and many pangs of conscience would not occur if followed.

Christmas shopping, in the main, is left until the eleventh hour, with the result that in thousands of cases neither the giver nor the receiver of gifts are satisfied. Isn't this true? How many readers of The News but have rushed frantically around on the day or night before Christmas in an endeavor to find suitable gifts for their friends? Have these ever found satisfaction by the experience of battling with the holiday rush, and in nine cases out of ten they have purchased something which, if in their sober senses, they would never have thought of buying.

'Tis a pity that so few learn by experience, and this year will probably be no exception to the past. Those who made solemn vows last Christmas that they would never again be found in such a dilemma will be among the maddening crowd that will surround the bargain tables and toy counters on the night of December 24.

with Washington so tickled the Indian's vanity and love of display that he thenceforth wore the medallion until the day of his death. It was his dearest treasure.

### Aids the United States.

Red Jacket gave far more than "value received" for the Washington medal. For when Tecumseh strove to rouse the various Indian tribes against the white men it was he who early learned of the plot and notified the government. His tidings did much to help Uncle Sam check this wholesale conspiracy. Soon afterward, at the beginning of the war of 1812 with England, he and the Senecas east in their lot with the United States. In council and in secret service rather than in fighting Red Jacket was of tremendous assistance to the government throughout that conflict, though his admirers claim that in the battle near Fort George, on the Niagara boundary line, in 1813, he did valiant work. In spite of all these proofs of devotion to the government he hated all white men. Had he been able he would gladly have rid the land of them. He could not be induced to embrace any of the habits of civilization. He not only refused to become a Christian but was the sworn enemy of the missionaries who were sent to his people.

To the last he held to the old religion, dress, language, and ways of his savage ancestors, and strove to prevent his followers from adopting white men's customs. The only chance he himself made from the primitive Indian life was in learning to drink whiskey.

Red Jacket was as wise as he was cowardly. He foresaw that soon or late the once powerful Indian would

## SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES OF CALUMET FOR TOMORROW

At the Presbyterian church tomorrow the pastor, Rev. Daniel Stalker, will talk on "An Important Work" at the morning service, and in the evening his subject will be "Thanksgiving." Tomorrow morning at Christ church, Episcopal, Rev. J. A. Tenbroeck will talk on the liquor question. Usual services will be held in the evening. Pastor George D. Harger of the Calumet Baptist church will preach morning and evening tomorrow, short prayer meetings preceding each sermon. Sunday school at noon will be conducted by the superintendent, Miss Rogers.

Sunday services at the Calumet Congregational church will be as follows: Morning subject, "A Fountain of Living Water"; evening subject, "Meaning of Some Things About the Church." A special service for young people, Rev. L. K. Ling, the pastor, will preach both sermons.

At the Osceola M. E. church, Gus Donald of Kenosha will preach in the morning, and Rev. Healey, the pastor, will talk on Temperance in the evening.

"The Church and Its Needs" will be Rev. Healey's subject at the Boston M. E. church in the morning. In the evening R. Harvey of Houghton will occupy the pulpit.

Rev. E. Selweck, the pastor, will preach in the morning at the Calumet M. E. church, and in the evening Bishop Moore will fill the pulpit.

President Samuel Dickie of Albion college will preach in the morning at the Laurium M. E. church, and in the evening the pastor, Rev. W. M. Ward, will talk.

### Notes from the Labor World.

The Federation of Labor of the state of New York has declared its belief in woman's suffrage as a necessary step toward the better protection of the industrial interests both of male and of female wage workers.

The official organ of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electrical Railway Employees of America, "The Motorman and Conductor," shows a substantial profit, having in the last two years paid off a large deficit, being now on a paying basis.

At the Toronto convention of the American Federation of Labor the Piano and Organ Makers' International Union of America presented a resolution saying that, to enable the wage workers to become politically independent as well as economically, a labor party should be formed.

The Massachusetts unions of steam engineers have started a movement for a monument on the grave of the late Frank B. Monaghan, who was a former international president and for years a national counselor and officer, and at the time of his death editor of the union's international publication.

Trades unionism among women has progressed more rapidly in Great Britain during the last five years than among men. The increase from 1904 to 1907 in the number of women enrolled in trades unions was 53.7 per cent, while the increase in the male membership during the corresponding period was only 24.7 per cent. The number of women in trades unions in 1904 was 126,285, against a total of 201,999 in 1907, the last year of which statistics are available.

### The Bibulous Bee.

No creature is more apt to become a hopeless dipsomaniac than the honey bee. The flowers deliberately trade on the weakness and make their honey intoxicating simply to give the bee an irresistible taste for it and induce the deluded insect to make continual calls at their bar.

he crushed under the advance of progress, and would be utterly driven from the hunting grounds of their fathers. With all his cunning and ability he fought to postpone that evil day as long as possible. He tried to prevent his people from imitating the white men and thus sapping their own independence. He sought to train the young Indians to resist the weakening influences of civilization.

In 1829 Red Jacket went to New York where a noted artist painted his portrait. Thence he journeyed to Washington in behalf of his people's rights. By that time he had become a hopeless drunkard and a little later his brain gave way. He was deposited by his own tribesmen from his high office of sachem. A more shattered wreck of his former self, he died in Seneca village, New York, on Jan. 20, 1830.

## ROYAL TONIGHT 7 to 10:30 NINE TIME

Our Feature Film

### Story of a Banknote

Tells the story of a poor man who is apparently beaten in his struggle with the world and whose wife temporarily deserts him and goes with a former admirer who turns out to be the leader of a gang of counterfeiters.

### Across The Isthmus

An interesting picture showing the cutting of a navigable canal across the Isthmus of Panama.

### The Lonely Bachelor

Tells how a pretty child brought two lonely hearts together.

Admission 10c. Matinee daily, Chil-

## LAURIUM

### 31,303 BOOKS IN LIBRARY: YEAR'S CIRCULATION HEAVY

Annual Report of Calumet and Hecla Public Library for Year Ending September 30, 1909, is issued—Circulation of Books During the Year, 133,894—Wealth of Facts.

The annual report of the Calumet and Hecla public library for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1909, has been prepared. It presents a wealth of interesting facts of the institution. The report, which is self explanatory, follows:

Adult fiction circulated, 35,341; adult non-fiction circulated, 15,021; adult foreign circulated, 10,730; total adult circulated, 61,122; juvenile fiction circulated, 44,707; juvenile non-fiction circulated, 24,935; total juvenile circulated, 69,642; total circulation, 133,894; average circulation, 440; largest circulation, 936; smallest circulation, 118; L. Linden circulation, 5,084; magazine circulation, Calumet 15,856, L. Linden 4,546, total 20,402; picture circulation, 5,285; total attendance in main reading room, 23,241; average attendance in main reading room, 62; largest attendance in main reading room, 126; smallest attendance in main reading room, 14; total attendance in children's reading room, 36,729; average attendance in children's reading room, 103; largest attendance in children's reading room, 349; smallest attendance in children's reading room, 3; total attendance in Calumet reading rooms, 59,570; average attendance in Calumet reading rooms, 168; total attendance in L. Linden reading rooms, 14,827; average attendance in L. Linden reading rooms, 42; clippings used, 752; cards issued, Calumet, 2,305; L. Linden, 35; total, 2,340. Cards withdrawn: Calumet, 2,267; L. Linden, 42; total, 2,309. Registrations: Calumet, 7,633; L. Linden, 694; total, 8,327.

Books Circulated. Adult. Juvenile. General works ..... 1,125 124 Philosophy ..... 740 66 Religion ..... 691 739 Sociology, including fairy tales ..... 2,379 6,492 Philology ..... 169 44 Natural Science ..... 981 1,729 Useful Arts ..... 1,587 674 Fine Arts ..... 1,526 1,170 Literature ..... 1,972 4,955 History ..... 1,565 4,459 Travel ..... 1,172 2,708 Biography ..... 1,290 1,809 Fiction ..... 39,341 44,707 Foreign ..... 10,730 1,211

Total ..... 65,152 68,742

### Circulation of Books by Months.

Adults. Juveniles. October ..... 5,757 7,592 November ..... 5,454 7,101 December ..... 5,190 5,599 January ..... 5,374 5,958 February ..... 6,247 6,513 March ..... 7,170 7,654 April ..... 6,378 6,714 May ..... 5,484 5,321 June ..... 4,123 5,420 July ..... 4,337 3,749 August ..... 3,934 3,554 September ..... 5,194 5,667

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### Circulation of Pictures By Months.

October ..... 477 1,666 November ..... 1,638 1,462 December ..... 1,292 1,324 January ..... 1,324 1,408 February ..... 1,532 370 March ..... 1,691 394 April ..... 1,576 306 May ..... 1,246 414 June ..... 906 386 July ..... 1,086 404 August ..... 1,090 440 September ..... 1,165 436

Total ..... 15,886 4,546

### Attendance in Reading Rooms by Months.

Main. Children's. October ..... 2,506 4,279 November ..... 2,158 4,406 December ..... 1,762 3,270 January ..... 1,976 3,145 February ..... 1,862 2,797 March ..... 2,258 4,058 April ..... 2,154 3,168 May ..... 2,023 2,144 June ..... 1,519 1,714 July ..... 1,493 1,867 August ..... 1,490 1,857 September ..... 2,049 2,924

Total ..... 23,241 36,729

Lake Linden Reading Room.	
Month	Attendance.
October	1,342
November	1,314
December	1,126
January	1,358
February	1,265
March	1,789
April	1,312
May	1,099
June	890
July	953
August	1,089
September	1,090
Total	14,827

Books and Periodicals in Library.

Total number of volumes in library, September 30, 1909 ..... 30,037

Volumes added during 1908-09 ..... 2,148

Volumes withdrawn during 1908-09 ..... 882

Total number of volumes in library, September 30, 1909 ..... 31,303

Total number of pictures in library, September 30, 1909 ..... 8,995

Total number of clippings in library, September 30, 1909 ..... 5,669

Magazines and newspapers:—

Main reading room: English, 135; Foreign, 24; total ..... 159

Children's reading room ..... 9

L. Linden reading room ..... 55

Periodicals bound to complete files ..... 173

Books rebound ..... 1,970

Books repaired in library ..... 12,437

Number of photographs in copper country collection ..... 274

### Classified List of Books in Library.

General Works ..... 1,575 192

Philosophy ..... 358 39

Religion ..... 675 159

Sociology, including fairy tales ..... 1,429 714

Philology ..... 76 1

Natural Science ..... 961 446

Useful Arts ..... 1,343 173

Fine Arts ..... 990 161

Literature ..... 1,535 995

History ..... 1,672 718

Travel ..... 1,368 768

Biography ..... 1,896 462

Fiction ..... 4,299 4,637

Reference ..... 518 17

Foreign ..... 4,266 1,211

Total ..... 22,511 8,792

### Foreign By Classes.

German ..... 938 979

French ..... 1,212 1,212

Italian ..... 1,521 1,521

Swedish ..... 562 562

Norwegian ..... 2,844 2,844

Finnish ..... 796 796

Polish ..... 899 899

Slovenian ..... 1,211 1,211

Croatian ..... 1,211 1,211

Total ..... 10,963

### LAURIUM BREVITIES.

Mrs. C. W. Maas and family are expected to arrive here today from Spokane and will take up their residence in Laurium.

Steve Dudzynski of Osceola, was arrested on a drunk charge. He was sentenced to sixty days in the county jail, sentence being suspended on his furnishing a bond in the sum of \$200 to be of good behavior in the future.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ritchie of Laurium.

The roller skating season closed at the Calumet Thursday evening. Preparations will now be started for the ice skating season. J. C. Light, the new manager, will take hold of his duties, succeeding John A. Amolsch Tuesday of next week.

Contractor John Amolsch is home from a short business trip to L'Anse-au-Loup.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Kneebone, who have spent the past year near Seattle, have returned to Laurium to reside.

The ladies of St. Margaret's Guild of Christ church, Episcopal, will hold

a cake sale this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock in the parish rooms.

R. Richards of Osceola, is home from a deer hunting trip in Keweenaw.

Alex Greenshield has gone to Wisconsin on a business visit.

Oil Business Vast One.

There are 500,000 men engaged in the production of oil in the United States, on whose labor 2,500,000 people depend, and the daily wages paid are about \$1,000,000, or approximately \$300,000,000 a year. This includes the production, refining and shipping of petroleum, as also the manufacturing of petroleum products.

The Rural Cynic.

"Hard work," said the ready-made philosopher, "brings the greatest happiness in life." "Yes," answered Farmer Cornetson, "especially when you kin afford to hire somebody to do it fur you."

Chloroform Zoo Animals.

The practice of cutting the claws of the more ferocious animals of the London zoological garden has recently been greatly facilitated by chloroforming the animals. Heretofore it was done by sheer force by a squad of men, the animal being first secured by ropes.

News Want Ads. bring results.

Group is most prevalent during the dry cold weather of the early winter months. Parents of young children should be prepared for it. All that is needed is a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Many mothers are never without it in their homes and it has never disappointed them. Sold by Eagle Drug store, Calumet; Laurium Pharmacy, Laurium.

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While it is customary to mount all large diamonds in fine 14 K. handmade mountings, many dealers use for their small stone rings settings of 10 K. quality and inferior workmanship.

Every diamond ring in our stock is of 14 karat quality and finely made. We select our settings for small stones with great care, as the mounting has much to do with the beauty of the ring.

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